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The Honorable Kevin Martin Chairman Federal Communications Commission 445 Twelfth Street, S.W. Washington, D.C. 20554

Re: Written Ex Parte Communication; WT Docket Nos. 06-150, 06-169, and 96-86 PS Docket No. 06-229

Dear Chairman Martin:

As the chief law enforcement official in Worcester County, I have made a commitment to making my communities safer for everyone. I believe that, to do so, requires my department to do whatever it takes to get the job done. It is critical that my team and other agencies are able to communicate in an efficient and comprehensive manner. That is why it is important that the FCC designate at least 10 MHz of commercial spectrum for public use through a private partnership.

In order to develop this communication network, both funding and a larger spectrum are essential. The plan proposed by Frontline Wireless provides both of these components. They plan to build out the network using private capital, which will allow the doubling of the spectrum available to first responders.

This build out will serve 99 percent of the state and allow local agencies control over the system. The Frontline Wireless plan will make my job easier and it will save lives in the future. I hope you will give this proposal due consideration and look favorably on making the needed commercial spectrum available.

Sincerely.

Guy W-Glodis, Sheriff

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